

In the Claims:

Kindly amend the claims to read as follows:

1. (Currently amended) Panels for producing swimming pools, having a prefabricated flat structure (1) of rectangular overall shape and delimited by a peripheral surround consisting of frame comprising vertical flanges (1b) and (1e) and horizontal flanges (1d) and (1e), wherein one of the vertical flanges (1e) has, suitably distributed over its height, fixing arrangements (1f) able to collaborate with complementary arrangements (1g) on the an other vertical flange (1b) of an adjacent panel,  
characterized in that:

[[[-]]] the complementary arrangements (1f) and (1g) consist, in the case of one of the flanges (1e) of comprise anchoring tabs (1f) formed in the a thickness of the said other flange (1e) and able to be engaged in centring centering and guiding shapes (1g) belonging to the other one flange (1b),

[[[-]]] each of the tabs (1f) has, on its an outer face, anchoring roughnesses (1f3) able to collaborate with complementary roughnesses (1g) after engagement in the said shapes, to ensure non-dismantleable self-locking,

[[[-]]] the centring centering and guiding shapes (1g) constitute a wells or sleeves formed as an overspill from the a bearing face of the one flange (1b) and the a cross section of which said wells or sleeves corresponds approximately to that of the tabs (1f),

[[[-]]] the a part of the one flange from which the said sleeves or wells are formed have having said anchoring roughnesses (1g1) so that when the tabs (1f) have been engaged in the sleeves (1g) a wedging effect is produced for imbricating the roughnesses and,

[[[-]]] a profiled shape (1k) is established over the an entire height of the vertical flanges (1b) and (1e) at their part for connection with the a flat face (1a) of the structure (1), to ensure sealing once the tabs (1f) have been engaged in the sleeves or wells (1g).

2. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the anchoring roughnesses (1f3) and 1g1 consist of comprise a number of straight and parallel very closely-packed teeth of the a gullet tooth type.

3. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the anchoring tabs (1f) result from two parallel cut-outs (1f1) and 1f2) formed at right angles from the a longitudinal edge of the corresponding one flange (1e), the a length of the said tabs (1f) being less than the a width of the said one flange (1e).

4. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the anchoring tabs (1f) are of flat cross section, the an internal cross section delimited by the edges of the sleeves or wells is (1g) being rectangular, and a the free end of the anchoring tabs (1f) is chamfered.

5. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that wherein the profiled sealing form consists of shape comprises a bead (1k) resulting from an additional thickness of material.

6. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that the wherein a width of the anchoring tabs (1f) is less than the a width of the an internal section of the sleeves (1g) or wells except for a sleeve situated at the an upper part of the structure (1) considered in a vertical position, of which a the width of its internal section corresponds approximately to that a width of the tabs (1f) so as to allow heightwise adjustment of the said panels.

7. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that the wherein an entirety of the structure (1) is obtained directly by the injection-moulding of a plastic.

8. (Currently amended) Panels according to Claim 1, characterized in that the wherein an internal face of the structure (1) is equipped, directly at the time of its manufacture, with studs (1j) having a head and a centring centering part able to collaborate with [[a]] necked apertures (2a) exhibited by an independent reinforcing element (2) acting as wall tie and hollow shaft for the pouring of concrete, the said studs (1j) and apertures (2a) being distributed over the entire height of the structure (1).